## **CHAPTER NO. 247**

## SENATE BILL NO. 776

## By Henry

Substituted for: House Bill No. 501

By Odom

AN ACT To amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-5-122, relative to motor vehicles.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-5-122, is amended by designating the current language as subsection "(a)" and by adding the following new language, to be designated as subsection "(b)":

(b) The provisions of subsection (a) shall not be construed in any manner to impair or restrict the authority or ability of a municipal or metropolitan government, acting by ordinance, to regulate the parking or towing of any motor vehicle located within the boundaries of the municipality.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 14, 2001

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2001

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